

I feel that I need to respond to this issue on a couple different levels. The businesses I have done business with have the option of giving me the option to receive calls or not (love that word option) and I always say no to this - because for one thing - I'm not home during business hrs - also because my housemate sleeps during the day. Also, because I'm aware of how I need to invest my moneys and don't require solicitation like this. I get plenty of solicitation from newspapers, radio, television, billboards, stores ect. and consider my home private. Also, evenings lately as it happens - I need my line clear because of a long distance family emergency situation. The concern seems to be that other states have less restrictive laws? If you think that one through just a second you see how irrelevant that is, perhaps Indiana can set a standard. I don't pretend to know what economical impact this law has on telemarketers, nor do I pretend not to realize that issue must be underlying here - but lets use our American ingenuity instead of undermining the processes that allow us to make laws for the betterment of society and the facilitation of living together more harmoniously. My home is not a playing field that I want to have be leveled to a market access or to any other outside interest. If 98% of surveyed respondents are happy with existing law, who is this 2% that seeks to undo it?